

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 250

By Kyle

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Kelly Reed, 2003
Valedictorian of Craigmont High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kelly Reed is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2003 graduating class at Craigmont High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Kelly Reed has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Kelly Reed has earned an exemplary 5.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Kelly Reed's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, an extremely talented and well-rounded young woman, Kelly is a piano student of thirteen years, plays violin, participates on the Raleigh Baptist Church softball,

basketball, and soccer teams, participates in World Changers, the Soup Kitchen, is a tutor through Mu Alpha Theta, and participates in many service projects through the National Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades and honors, Kelly has received many, including the William H. Sweet Award, being elected as the President of the National Honor Society and as Vice-President of Mu Alpha Theta and of the French Club, having been selected as a member of the All-State and All-West Orchestras, and earning a superior rating for the Guild National Piano Playing auditions; and

WHEREAS, Kelly Reed's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Mark and Linda Reed, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Kelly Reed's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 Craigmont High School Valedictorian, Kelly Reed, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.